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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to a non-final office action in the above case dated January 12, 2005 in which the Examiner rejected all the claims as obvious (35 U.S.C. §103) over cited art. Applicants held a first phone interview on March 23 in which claim amendments were discussed. Applicants held a second phone interview on April 13th, in which an amendment to claims 1, 25, and 49 was discussed. Applicants amended the claims as discussed during this second phone interview, made additional amendments, canceled claims and added claims. Applicants submit that all pending claims 1-5, 7-12, 21, 24-29, 31-36, 45, 48-53, 55-60, and 69, 72-78 are patentable over the cited art and in condition for allowance for the reasons discussed herein.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17.